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1. The current agrarian troubles in the Terai Region of Nepal were started in May 1952 by disgruntled ex-Nepali Congress volunteers who are now sympathetic with Dr. K. I. Singh.
2. These volunteers were joined during June 1952 by the Communist-sponsored All-Nepal Peasants Conference¹, which has been mainly responsible for the present large-scale unrest.^{2,3}

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1. [] Comment. Probably identical with the All-Nepal Peasants' Congress reported [] among the organizations comprising the Nepali Communist front.
2. [] Comment. As B. P. Koirala is very unpopular in the Kathmandu Valley, he is unlikely to replace M. P. Koirala as Nepalese Prime Minister.
3. [] Comment. The rivalry between M.P. Koirala and B. P. Koirala for the former's position as Prime Minister was reported []

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